



Price List

Spring & Fall

1962

of

Collected:

Hardy Native Ferns, Wildflowers, Orchids,

Aquatic and Insectivorous Plants,

Ground Covers,

Evergreens, Trees and Shrubs.

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Dear Wild Flower Lover:

Included in the following list of wild plants are the best varieties for your wild garden. The quality of this material is of the very highest. All items are collected under my supervision by experienced collectors from many parts of New England. Always uppermost in my mind are the conservation aspects of "collecting", rare plants are always either collected by us where they grow in the path of new construction or are artificially propagated at one of my nurseries.

You may always be assured of reputable quality and consideration when dealing with me, as your complete satisfaction is my only way of keeping you a satisfied customer. However there are certain terms that must be followed that are mutually beneficial to you as a customer and myself as a businessman.

One last thought before you peruse this list. Owning and trying to follow the cultural directions set forth in a good wildflower or fern book are very important for ultimate success in growing wildlings. I highly recommend "Wildflowers and How to Grow Them" by Edwin Steffek, and a "Field Guide to the Ferns" by Boughton Cobb, both of which I carry for sale, either by mail or here at the Nursery in North Wilmington, Mass.

Good luck in your wildflower gardening and if any question or incident arises that you feel might be of interest to me be sure to write.

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Terms

This list cancels all previous price lists. Please do not order from old catalogs, send for new copy. All stock offered is made subject to conditions beyond my control. Prices are subject to change without notice.

Orders are filled in the order in which they are received unless and where possible a specific shipping date is specified. I reserve the right to cancel any order if necessary due to weather conditions, crop failure or for any reason deemed necessary.

Packing and grading will be done carefully. Orders will be packed to leave my shipping point in good condition. Shipment will be delivered to our Post Office, Railway Express Office or freight office at prices named in this list. No additional charge for packing is made. All shipments delivered at cost and risk of customer.

Cash, check or money order must accompany all orders. Sorry we do no C.O.D. business. No order will be accepted for less than \$5.00. Charges for shipping are as follows, if by Parcel Post add 15% East of the Mississippi or 25% West, for Special Handling, Parcel Post add 50¢ each shipment. If additional postage money does not accompany your order, it will be automatically shipped Railway Express, express collect, unless otherwise specified. A certificate of inspection is attached to each shipment.

I guarantee all plants to arrive in good condition, alive and ready to grow. I do not guarantee that they will continue to grow as that is up to you to follow practical cultural procedures and your own green thumb.

In no case shall I be held for damage exceeding original purchase price and only to this extent when proper proof is furnished that stock has been wrongly labeled.

Due to conservation laws, certain plants marked with an * are nursery grown or purchased elsewhere. Also items marked + are satisfactory only if handled and planted in the Fall, all others are suitable for Spring planting.

I encourage orders from people in foreign lands.

Spring collecting season: March 1 thru June 1. Fall: Sept. 1 thru Dec. 1. We have in storage and ship certain plants all winter, according to weather, locality served and purposes for which needed.

BOOKS AVAILABLE

"A Field Guide To The Ferns," - Boughton Cobb. Profusely illustrated. Peterson Field Guide Series. 281 pages. My own copy is worn from years of constant use in the field, the very best, a must for the fern fancier. \$4.95

"Wildflowers and How to Grow Them," - Edwin F. Steffek. Another book we have used for many years and could not be without. Tells how to grow all of the wildflowers. 100 illustrations and half of them in full color. \$3.95

Pine Needles

Burlap bag, approx. 3½' x 2½' x 18", collected from our own woods. Shipped Express Collect. \$3.00

Woody Soil

Approx. 60# of native woody soil for wild gardening. Shipped Express Collect. \$3.75

Native Peat Humus

Approx. 60# of our own native peat humus. Mixed with ordinary garden soil for wild gardens. Express Collect. \$3.00

Wood Chips

Burlap bag, approx. 50#. Perfect natural material for mulching wild plants. Shipped Express Collect. \$4.00

Shingle Tow

Burlap bag, approx. 50#. Another excellent natural material for mulching wildlings. Long, stringy, fibrous material. Shipped Express Collect. \$4.00

Special (Ten) Rate

All ferns and wildflowers listed:	60¢ ea.	3 for \$1.50	- 10 for \$4.
" " " " " "	75¢ ea.	3 for \$2.00	- 10 for \$6.
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Beginners Fern Collection

2 Maidenhair Fern	2 Royal Fern
2 Lady Fern	2 Christmas Fern
2 Marginal Shield Fern	2 Ostrich Fern
2 Interrupted Fern	2 Cinnamon Fern
Incl. instructions for growing.	Postpaid \$7.00

Beginners Wildflower Collection

2 Pink Ladyslipper	2 White Trillium
2 Downy Rattlesnake Plantain	2 American Columbine
2 Jack-in-the-pulpit	2 Roundlobe Hepatica
2 Bloodroot	2 Partridge Berry
Incl. instructions for growing.	Postpaid \$9.00

Combination of both collections. Postpaid \$15.00

Qualified Landscape Design and Construction with natural plants, at reasonable rates, throughout New England south of Pennsylvania.

HARDY NATIVE FERNS

For gracefulness, interest and color ferns cannot be equalled. They are easily grown in most soils and will thrive where other plants fail. Most grow in a shady location, but a few will thrive in full sun. Those followed by (s) will thrive in sunshine. The following list includes the best varieties and only strong healthy specimens will be shipped.

	Ultimate Hgt.	Price Each
Adiantum pedatum. Maidenhair Fern. Deciduous. Moist, shady location.	12"-18"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
*Asplenium platyneuron. Ebony Spleenwort. Evergreen. Semi-shade. Stones and cliffs.	7"-12"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
*Asplenium trichomanes. Maidenhair Spleenwort. Evergreen. Delicate. Semi-shade. At home on cliffs and rocky soil.	3-6"	75¢ 3 for \$2.
Athyrium filixfemina. Lady Fern. Deciduous. Vigorous and showy. Moist semi-shade.	24-36"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
*Camptosorus rhizophyllus. Walking Fern. Semi-evergreen. Tip rooting. Shaded moss grown rocks.	3-12"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Dennstaedtia punctilobula (s). Hayscented Fern. Deciduous. Vigorous will cover large area. Sun or shade. (Sq. ft. sods)	12-18"	75¢ 3 for \$2.
Dryopteris gymnocarpium. Oak Fern Deciduous. Tiny, delicate. Moist shade.	3-6"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Dryopteris marginalis. Marginal Woodfern. Evergreen. For rocky walls.	12-18"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Dryopteris spinulosa. Spinulose Woodfern. Evergreen. Lacy-cut and delicate. Shade.	12-24"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Onoclea sensibilis (s). Sensitive fern. Deciduous. Un-fernlike. Sun or shade. Damp.	24"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Osmunda cinnamomea. Cinnamon fern. Deciduous. Strong vigorous, tall. Moist, shady.	24-40"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Osmunda claytonia. Interrupted fern. Deciduous. Tall and bold. Moist shade.	18-40"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Osmunda regalis (s). Royal fern. Deciduous. Tropical appearance. Sun or shade, moist.	24-60"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Polypodium vulgare. Common Polypody. Evergreen, grows in mats. Semi-shade, rocky.	3-12"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Polystichum acrostichoides. Christmas fern. Evergreen. Ornamental for massing. Moist, semi-shade.	12-36"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50

*Polystichum braunii. Braun's Holly Fern. 18-30" \$2.00 3 for \$5.
Semi-evergreen. Shiny, holly like. Moist,
cool, semi-shade.

Pteretis nodulosa. Ostrich fern. 24-60" 60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Tall, erect, graceful. Moist,
filtered sunlight.

*Woodsia ilvensis. Rusty woodsia. 4-6" 75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Semi-evergreen. Rare and delightful. Sun
or shade, rocky.

*Woodsia obtusa. Blunt-Lobed Woodsia. 8-14" 75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Evergreen. Downy, rare. Shaded rocky banks.

Special (Ten) Rate

All Ferns:	60¢	3 for	\$1.50	-	10 for	\$4.00
"	"	75¢	3 "	"	10 "	\$6.00
"	"	85¢	3 "	"	10 "	\$7.00

FERN - Allies

Clubmosses. Ground Pines or Running Pines.

Useful as ground cover in shady areas with natural soil conditions. Very difficult to establish unless large sods are used. The following selection is recommended. All sent with large sods.

	Ultimate Hgt.	Price Each
Lycopodium lucidulum. Shining Clubmoss. Evergreen. Bright shining green. Cool, moist, shade.	4-6"	85¢ 3 for \$2.25
Lycopodium clavatum. Staghorn Clubmoss. Evergreen. Simulates deer horns, trailing. Soil, loose and semi-shade.	6-10"	85¢ 3 for \$2.25
Lycopodium obscurum. Tree Clubmoss. Evergreen. Like tiny, branched pine tree. Damp open woods.	6-12"	85¢ 3 for \$2.25
Lycopodium complanatum. Running Pine. Evergreen. Creeping, irregular. Moist shade.	6-10"	85¢ 3 for \$2.25

The above fern allies are difficult and are available only on special order.

HARDY NATIVE ORCHIDS

Unquestionably the most popular of the Wildflowers are our native orchids, also as a group they are the rarest. The following list of orchids takes into consideration this fact. The plants followed by (E) are the most hardy and most easily naturalized.

*Cypripedium acaule. (E) Pink Ladyslipper.
Deciduous. Very beautiful. Shade loving. 6-18" 75¢ 3 for \$2.00

*Cypripedium arietinum. (E) Ram's Head Ladyslipper.

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| deciduous. Solitary, pointed, rose-colored flower. Moist, shade. | 6-12" | 33.50 |
| +*Cypripedium parviflorum. (E) Small Yellow Ladyslipper. Deciduous. Small yellow, fragrant. Rich soil, filtered sun. | 10-20" | 75¢ 3 for \$2.00 |
| +*Cypripedium pubescens. (E) Common Yellow Ladyslipper. Deciduous. Large, bright yellow, rich soil, filtered sun. | 12-20" | 75¢ 3 for \$2.00 |
| 1 crown | | 1.50 3 for \$4. |
| 2-3 crown | | 3.50 3 for \$10. |
| 4-6 crown | | |
| +*Cypripedium reginae (Spectabilis). (E) Showy Ladyslipper. Deciduous. Flowers 1-3, white to rose. Rich soil, filtered sun. | 12-24" | 75¢ 3 for \$2.25 |
| 1 crown | | 1.50 3 for \$4. |
| 2-3 crown | | 3.50 3 for \$10. |
| 4-6 crown | | |
| Goodyera pubescens (E). Downy Rattlesnake Plantain. Evergreen. Dark green with white veining. Rocky, shaded slope. | 3-6" | 75¢ 3 for \$2.00 |
| Goodyera tessellata (E). Tessellated Rattlesnake Plantain. Evergreen. Vein not so clear. Shady, moist, woods. | 3-6" | 75¢ 3 for \$2.00 |
| *Orchis spectabilis. Showy Orchid. Deciduous. Flower, violet purple and white. Shady. | 6-12" | 85¢ 3 for \$2.25 |

AQUATIC AND BOG PLANTS

Of specific interest to those persons fortunate enough to own a piece of moist lowland. Included are several plants not hardy in the northern zones, but interesting plants that must be taken inside during the winter, they are followed by (NH)

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| *Darlingtonia californicus (NH) Cobra Lily. Evergreen. Large insect eating, hooded pitchers. Moist bog, sun. | 12-24" | 1.49 3 for \$4. |
| Drosera elliptica. Sundew. Deciduous. Insectivorous. Moist gravel, sun. | 1-3" | 60¢ 3 for \$1.50 |
| Drosera rotundifolia. Round leaved Sundew. Deciduous. Red, insectivorous. Sphagnum bog. Sun. | 1-2" | 60¢ 3 for \$1.50 |
| *Lobelia cardinalis. Cardinal Flower. Deciduous. Flower bright red. Moist, sometimes dry, sun or shade. | 36-60" | 60¢ 3 for \$1.50 |
| *Pinguicula vulgaris. Butterwort. Semi-evergreen. Fly-paper insectivorous. Moist - sun or shade. | 4-8" | 60¢ 3 for \$1.50 |

	Ultimate Hgt.	Price Each
* <i>Sarracenia flava</i> (NH). Huntsman's Horn.	12-14"	75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Evergreen. Tall-trumpet, insectivorous. Bogs.		
<i>Sarracenia purpurea</i> . Common Pitcherplant.	8-15"	75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Evergreen. Pitcher-shaped leaves. Moist bogs.		
<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i> . Native Cranberry.	6-8"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Evergreen. Pink flowers - red fruits. Bogs.		

LILIES AND BULBOUS PLANTS

<i>Arisaema triphyllum</i> . Jack-in-the-Pulpit.	12-30"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Needs little introduction. Semi-shade.		
<i>Convallaria majolis</i> . Lily-of-the-Valley.	6-9"	75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Deciduous. White fragrant flowers. Woodsy, sun or shade. (Sods)		
* <i>Erythronium americanum</i> . Trout Lily.	5-12"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Green mottled leaves, yellow flower. Rich, leaf moldy soil.		
+ <i>Lilium canadense</i> . Canada Lily.	60-100"	
Deciduous. Flowers yellow to red. Moist.		
Extra large		85¢ 3 for \$2.25
First size		75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Second size		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
+* <i>Lilium philadelphicum</i> . Wood Lily.	12-36"	
Deciduous. Bright orange red bells. Partial shade.		
Extra large		85¢ 3 for \$2.25
First size		75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Second size		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
+* <i>Lilium superbum</i> . Turkscap Lily.	36-72"	
Deciduous. The best. Rich, loamy soil, sun or shade.		
First size		85¢ 3 for \$2.25
Flowering second size		75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Third size for growing on		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
+* <i>Mertensia virginica</i> . Virginia Blue Bells.	12-24"	
Deciduous. Pinkish-blue flowers. Moist, loamy sun or shade. (Fall shipping and planting only)		
Extra large		75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Strong first size		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
<i>Sanguinaria canadensis</i> . Bloodroot.	8-10"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Large pure white flowers. Shade.		
<i>Trillium cernuum</i> . Nodding Trillium.	9-18"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Flowers white or pink. Shade.		
* <i>Trillium erectum</i> . Purple Trillium.	9-18"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Flowers purplish-red. Shade.		
* <i>Trillium grandiflorum</i> . White Trillium.	10-20"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Large white flowers. Shade or semi-shade.		

	Ultimate Hgt.	Price Each
*Trillium luteum. Yellow trillium.	6-10"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Flowers lemon-yellow. Semi-shade.		
*Trillium undulatum. Painted Trillium.	10-15"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Large flowers with scarlet and white markings. Shade.		

NATIVE WILD FLOWERS AND GROUND COVER PLANTS

The following list contains a variety of Evergreen and Herbaceous wildlings furnishing a succession of interesting effects from early Spring to late Autumn. I have chosen this list from the many hundreds of Wildflowers for their showiness and ease of growing.

Aquilegia canadensis. American Columbine.	10-24"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Red and yellow flowers. Semi-shade.		
Asarum canadensis. Canada Wild Ginger.	10-18"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Kidney shaped leaves. Rich soil, semi-shade.		
Chimaphila umbellata. Common Pipsissewas.	4-8"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Evergreen. Rich green leaves. Semi-shade.		
*Chimaphila macaulata. Striped Pipsissewas.	4-8"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Evergreen. Beautiful veined leaves. Dry deciduous woods. Must be potted and sunk in forest soil for two years before they root.		
Clintonia borealis. Yellow Beadlily.	6-12"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Glossy, green leaves. Rich, shade.		
Chiogenes serpyllifolia. Creeping Snowberry.	3"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Evergreen. Dainty, cranberry-like vine. Moist.		
Coptis groenlandica. Goldthread.	4-8"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Evergreen. Dainty creeping, yellow root. Moist shade. (Sods)		
Cornus canadensis. Bunchberry (Dwarf Cornel)		
Deciduous. Vivid red berries. Damp shade.	4-8"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
(sods).		
*Epigea repens. Trailing Arbutus.	4-12"	85¢ 3 for \$2.25
Evergreen. Flowers, white or pink, fragrant. Well drained, shady (sods).		
*Galax aphylla. Galax.	4-12"	85¢ 3 for \$2.25
Evergreen. Heart shaped ground cover. Well drained, filtered sunlight. (sods).		
Gaultheria procumbens. Checkerberry.	3-6"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Evergreen. Bright red fruit. Semi-shade. (sods).		

	Ultimate Hgt.	Price Each
Hepatica americana. Roundlobe Hepatica.	6-9"	
Evergreen. Flowers, blue and white and pink, shade.	1-2 buds	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
	3-6 buds	85¢ 3 for \$2.25
Linnaea americana. American Twinflower.	3-6"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Fragrant in two's. Moist shade.		
Mitchella repens. Partridgeberry. (sods)	2-6"	75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Evergreen. Fragrant flower, red berries. Shade.		
Pyrola elliptica. Shinleaf.	4-8"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Evergreen. Waxy flowers. Woodsy. Semi-shade.		
Tiarella cordifolia. Alleghany Foam Flower.	6-12"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Foamy flowers. Shade.		
Viola pedata. Birdsfoot Violet.	3-6"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Deciduous. Flowers, beautiful blue violet.		
Dry, sandy, semi-shade.		

GROUND COVERS (Other)

The following plants, some nursery grown and some collected, are included for their popularity and adaptability in naturalizing. See general wildflower or fern list (preceding) for other ground covers. For 100 or 1000 rate - please write.

Ajuga reptans. Carpet Bugle		
Deciduous. Blue flower spikes. Sun or shade.		10 for \$5.00
		25 for \$10.00
*Arctostaphylos urvi-ursi. Bearberry.	6-12"	
Evergreen. Shiny, dense, red berries, rich or poor soil. Full sun. Collected sods.		\$1.50 each, 3 for \$4.00
Nursery grown plants.	4-6" Pot grown.	10 for \$6.50 25 for \$15.
Euonymus fortunei coloratus.		
Purple leaved Winter Creeper.		
1 yr. field grown.		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
2 " " "		75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Kalmia angustifolium. Lambkill (Sheep-Laurel)		
Evergreen. Glaucus leaves, pink flower.	12-30"	
Anywhere - any soil.	6-18"	60¢ 3 for \$1.50
	Sq. ft. sods.	75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Hedera helix baltica. Baltic Ivy.	9-12"	
2 1/4" pot grown (2 plants per pot)		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Pachistima canbyi. Pachistima.	3-6"	
Dwarf evergreen hedge plant. Nursery grown.		10 for \$6.50. 25 for \$15.
Pachysandra terminalis. Japanese Spurge.	6-9"	
Evergreen. Useful for cover or borders. Shady best.		
2 yr. field grown (heavy)		10 for \$5., 25 for \$10, 100 for \$22.
2 1/4" Pot grown (2-3 plants per pot)		60¢ 3 for \$1.50

	Ultimate Hgt.	Price Each
Vaccinium angustifolium (pennsylvanicum)		
Lowbush Blueberry. Semi-evergreen. Edible fruit.		
Anywhere, prefers sun.	6-9"	
6-12"		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
Sq. ft. sods		75¢ 3 for \$2.00
Vinca minor. Myrtle	4-8"	
Evergreen. Blue Flowers. Shade.		
2 1/4" Pot Grown.		60¢ 3 for \$1.50
2 year field grown.	30¢, 6 for \$1.25, 100 for \$16.00	
Vinca minor. Bowles Variety		
Evergreen. Best. Shade. 2 1/4" pot grown.		85¢ 3 for \$2.25
2 year field grown.		60¢ 3 for \$1.50

HARDY NATIVE EVERGREENS

All plants carefully collected. All are selected, well rooted specimens. All plants shipped are carefully packed in sphagnum moss or shingle tow. With proper care a large percentage will live.

	<u>1-24</u>	<u>25 and up</u>
Tsuga canadensis. Canada Hemlock		
6-9"	10¢	8¢
9-12"	15¢	12¢
12-18"	35¢	30¢
18-24"	75¢	70¢

HARDY NATIVE TREES AND SHRUBS

Betula papyrifera. Paper birch		
2-3'	35¢	30¢
3-4'	40¢	35¢
4-6'	75¢	65¢
6-8'	1.75	1.50
Clethra alnifolia. Summersweet Clethra.		
6-18"	35¢	30¢
12-18"	55¢	50¢
18-24"	75¢	70¢
2-3'	1.00	90¢

